

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 3, line 1, with the following:

A2 Media," Network Working Group, Request for Comments No. 2354 (June 1998), incorporated by reference herein.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 3, line 4, with the following:

A3 XMLNet is an application programming interface (API) for streaming XML documents. XMLNet allows information to be transferred over the Internet or another network in real time as a series of XML documents. The XML documents are delivered to the receiver in a serial fashion. The receiver must receive an entire XML document, however, before the receiver can decode and process any of the XML content contained in the XML document. For a discussion of XMLNet, see for example "XMLNet," December 9, 1998 downloadable from.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 9, line 11 and ending at page 10, line 2, with the following paragraph:

A4 --The data storage device 320 includes a text source 350 that may be retrieved from memory or generated in real-time. Thus, the text source 350 may be a pre-recorded textual file, such as a database or another document, or a document generated in real time, for example, by a user entering textual information from a keyboard 351 or by a speech recognition system 352. The data storage device 320 also includes one or more XML templates 360 that indicates how the textual information should be decomposed in constructing the XML tree 200, and the independent sub-trees. Thus, the XML transmitter 300 will process the text source using the identified XML template 360 to generate the transmitted content in a streamed XML format, in accordance with the